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1. In May 1951, members of the 1921 and 1924 through 1927 classes in the Shaulyai (55°55'N/23°17'E) area were called up for a three-month period of reservist training. The persons concerned underwent a similar training period in or after 1945. Also in May 1951, the 1931 class was called up for a 2-year term of active service. In the spring of 1951, [REDACTED] landlord to read 25X1X a letter he had received from his son. The letter indicated that the landlord's son was on active service with a mine-clearance unit in Korea.
2. Members of the 1931 class in the Kedainiai (55°16'N/23°55'E) area were registered for the draft in April 1951 and inducted several days later. It was commonly known that Lithuanians had to serve their term of active service outside the former Lithuanian national boundaries.
3. Members of the 1931, the 1930 and earlier classes from the Heydekrug (55°20'N/21°25'E) area were registered for the draft in April 1951 and shipped to the interior of the U.S.S.R. a short time later. The inductees for the first time included ethnic Germans living in the Memel River region. *

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Comment. The information of the induction of members of the 1931 class in the spring of 1950 agrees with previous reports.

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